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Honorable Colleen McMahon United States District Judge Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

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December 13, 2007

Re: United States v. Smith and Taylor 07 Cr.972 (CM)

Dear Judge McMahon:

This letter is submitted to respectfully request an adjournment in the abovereferenced matter which is scheduled for December 14, 2007 for a conference. Due to current weather conditions as well as the expected weather conditions for tomorrow. I have concerns about my ability to travel to court as I reside in Rockland County and heavy snow has already begun to accumulate in that area.

My office has contacted AUSA Jeff Brown and he has indicated that he would not oppose the requested adjournment.

I most respectfully request an adjournment that is convenient to the court, I apologize for the short notice and thank the Court for its consideration.

Furthermore, I consent to the exclusion of time under Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. 3161.

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Cc: AUSA Jeff Brown

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